

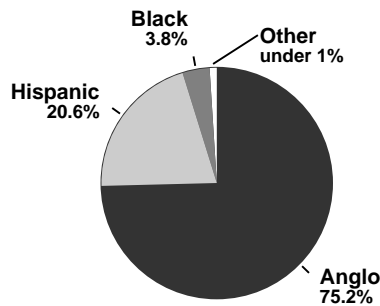
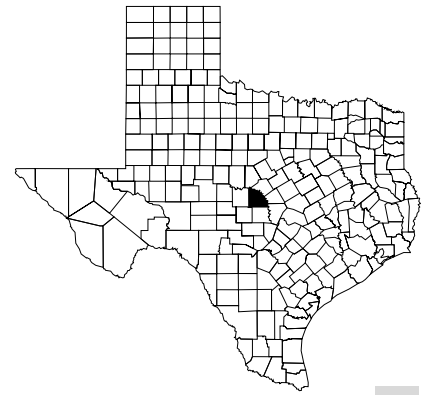


Selected Facts for *San Saba County - 1997*

Demography

Estimated Population: 5,608
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 198

Population Per Square Mile: 4.9
Area in Square Miles: 1,135



POPULATION INFORMATION

Age	Females	Males	Total	Percent
0 - 4	143	173	316	5.6 %
5 - 14	306	389	695	12.4 %
15 - 44	906	1,383	2,289	40.8 %
45 - 64	587	566	1,153	20.6 %
Over 64	706	449	1,155	20.6 %
Total	2,648	2,960	5,608	100.0 %
County	47.2 %	52.8 %		
State	50.5 %	49.5 %		

Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State
Unemployment Rate	5.8 %	5.4 %
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	117	600,128
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	618	2,117,429
Average Monthly Medicaid Eligibles ¹	700	1,934,199

Medicaid (Title XIX)

	County	State
Medicaid Expenditures ²	\$ 3,217,498	\$ 7,140,044,803
Unduplicated Count of:		
Medicaid Recipients	872	2,537,207
Medicaid Clients Served:		
Physicians Services	524	1,953,183
Inpatient Hospital Services	163	492,235
Outpatient Hospital Services	371	1,093,265
Prescribed Medications	707	1,988,060
Family Planning Services	61	196,762
THSteps (EPSDT) Checkups	217	1,069,257

Nativity

	Number ³	County	State
Total Live Births	55		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	5	9.1 %	6.7 %
Unmarried Mothers	13	23.6 %	30.7 %
Low Birth Weight ³	4	7.3 %	7.3 %
Late or No Prenatal Care ³	5	9.1 %	21.5 %
Fertility Rate ⁴	County: 60.7	State: 74.9	

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Number	County	State
Tuberculosis	0	---	10.2
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	3.5
Gonorrhea	1	---	136.9
Chlamydia	10	---	260.7
AIDS	0	---	24.3
Measles	0	---	---

Mortality

	Deaths ³	County	State
Deaths From All Causes	83	568.0	515.9
Cardiovascular Disease	33	147.3	187.4
Heart Disease	25	122.9	145.8
Stroke	7	---	30.9
All Cancer	16	---	125.9
Lung Cancer	3	---	38.2
Female Breast Cancer	0	---	18.5
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	6	---	22.8
Diabetes	2	---	17.8

	Deaths ³	County	State
Infant Deaths	0	---	6.4
Fetal Deaths ³	0	---	5.9
Unintentional Injury (Accidents)	6	---	33.6
Motor Vehicle Injury	4	---	18.9
Work-related Injury	0	---	2.2
Homicide	0	---	7.9
Suicide	2	---	10.7

¹ For 1997, unduplicated counts of Medicaid eligibles were not available.

² Excluding Disproportionate Share Hospital payments.

³ All births and deaths are by county of residence. Low birth weight represents live-born infants weighing less than 2,500 grams at birth. Late prenatal care refers to mothers who did not receive prenatal care during the first trimester of pregnancy. Fetal deaths are those occurring after 20 weeks gestation and prior to birth.

⁴ Fertility rates are per 1,000 women ages 15 - 44. Infant death rates and fetal death rates are per 1,000 live births. Work-related injury death rates are per 100,000 population. The remaining death rates have been age-adjusted to the 1940 U.S. standard population per 100,000 population. Communicable disease rates are also per 100,000 population. Rates and percents have not been calculated if 20 or fewer births, deaths or cases occurred, as indicated by "----".

Health Professionals

	County	Statewide
Direct Patient Care Physicians1		27,817
Ratio of Population per Direct Care Physician.....5,608		699
Ratio of Population per General/Family Practice.....0		3,892
Ratio of Population (Females 15-44) per ob/gyn.....0		2,384
Registered Nurses23	141,129	
Ratio of Population per Registered Nurse.....244	138	
Dentists2	8,191	
Ratio of Population per Dentist.....2,804	2,373	
Participating Medicaid Physicians1	9,893	

Health Facilities

Acute Care Hospitals0	
Licensed Beds.....0	
Staffed Beds.....0	
Disproportionate share hospital payments.....\$ 0	
Nursing Homes2	
Licensed Beds.....140	

All of San Saba County was designated as a Health Professional Shortage Area and as a Medically Underserved Area as of December 1998. For updated information please contact the Health Professions Resource Center at 512-458-7261 or at <http://www.tdh.state.tx.us/dpa/>.

Texas Department of Health Program Summary for San Saba County

Chronically Ill and Disabled Children's Services²

Eligible children.....9
Children served.....2
Amount paid.....\$ 2,691

Dental Health Services²

Children receiving dental care.....38
Children provided with dental education.....460

Emergency Medical Services

Ambulances permitted.....3
EMS personnel certified.....67

Food and Drug Safety

Facilities licensed, registered, permitted or accredited.....59

Immunization Division

Vaccine doses administered (less than age 20).....1,704

Radiation Control Program

Health related permits issued.....3
Certified mammography locations.....0

Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program¹

Mammograms performed.....79

Milk and Dairy Products Division

Establishments regulated.....0

Primary Health Care/COPC Services²

Reported clients served.....205

Kidney Health Care²

ESRD patients receiving life-sustaining treatments.....4
Estimated cost of treatments.....\$ 6,371

Tuberculosis Elimination Division¹

TB cases completing drug therapy.....1
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Women, Infants, and Children's Nutrition²

Clients receiving benefits.....343

Zoonosis Control

Number of animals diagnosed positive for rabies.....1

¹Data are reported by county of location of the provider.

²Data are reported by county of residence of the client.